

## BEYOND OUR CONGREGATION:

- **The Mennonite Heritage Centre Gallery** presents “**Identity: 3 Artists**”. Come and see the art of 3 women from Chile, Argentina, and Columbia, **Sept. 19 to Nov. 22**.
- **Fall Festival at CMU – Sept. 26-27, 2014**. Come celebrate with us during CMU's annual Fall Festival! There's something for everyone, including a farmer's market on Saturday, 10 am to 4 pm.
- **Face to Face - A Time to Die: Cultural and Faith Perspectives in the Face of Death** **Sept. 26, 2014, 7–8:30 pm** in the Great Hall at **CMU**. An interactive presentation exploring the shifting cultural sentiments on end-of-life issues, euthanasia and assisted suicide. Join CMU Lecturer Justin Neufeld along with the Honorable Stephen Fletcher, Member of Parliament, and major voice in the national debate on the right to die. Visit [cmu.ca/fallfest](http://cmu.ca/fallfest) for details.
- **CMU Opening Program – Sept. 27, 2014, 7-8 pm**, Loewen Athletic Centre. Featuring CMU's musical ensembles, and introducing CMU's new Vice-President Academic, Dr. Gordon Zerbe.
- **TRC Reflections** - Join MCC in reflecting on the Truth and Reconciliation Commission. First Mennonite Church, 922 Notre Dame Ave, Winnipeg on **Sunday, Sept. 28 at 6:30 pm**.
- **"The Forks & The Road"** - Celebrate 50 years of MCC Manitoba with the new play from Theatre of the Beat, exploring major themes in MCC's work including relationships with Indigenous neighbours, creation care, thrift shops, mediation and refugee resettlement. Coming to Winnipeg, Gretna, Steinbach, and Brandon this October. For show times and to buy tickets, visit [mccmanitoba.ca/TheForksandTheRoad](http://mccmanitoba.ca/TheForksandTheRoad) or call [\(204\)261-6381](tel:2042616381).
- **SBC** invites you to attend their **Fall Fundraising Faspas**, **Sunday, Oct. 5, 4:00 pm** at SBC, featuring an old-fashioned Saengerfest. Funds raised will help cover costs incurred after damage to the men's dorm in the recent rainstorm. Free tickets can be reserved by calling SBC at [204-326-6451](tel:2043266451).

- **J.J. Thiessen Lectures, Oct. 14-15, 2014, CMU Chapel**  
*Becoming Friends of Time: Disability, Timefulness and Gentle Discipleship* presented by Dr. John Swinton, Professor and Chair in Divinity and Religious Studies, University of Aberdeen. View full lecture details at [cmu.ca/jit](http://cmu.ca/jit)
- **CMU presents Xplore: Keep Thinking** At the Intersection of Faith and Life, Xplore is a 55-Plus Enrichment Program that offers courses investigating dimensions of the Christian faith, our world, and life in it. Happening Wednesday mornings at CMU for a six-week block in fall (Oct-Nov), and a six-week block in Spring (Mar-Apr). Each morning consists of two 60-minute class periods, divided by a 30-minute break for refreshments and fellowship. View course, tuition, and registration information at [cmu.ca/xplore/](http://cmu.ca/xplore/).

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## ABERDEEN MENNONITE CHURCH

**Sunday, September 21, 2014**



*Welcome to Aberdeen!*

Weekly Worship at 10:00 a.m.

Sunday School for all ages following the service

**Our worship is a response  
to God's call to repentance and faith.  
Seeking to live in harmony with God's will,  
we extend our service and  
witness in the name of Jesus Christ.  
60 years in North End Winnipeg**

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*“The purpose of all human growth is openness to others, to God, to the world: to discover our common humanity: to work for a world where there is more communion and compassion between human beings.” Jean Vanier*

**Gathering**

- Prelude
- Congregational Song STJ 44 The love of God
- Welcome
- Congregational Song HWB 6 Here in this place
- Call to Worship
- Prayer of Invocation HWB 675

**Confessing**

- Prayer of Confession
- Congregational Song STJ 47 Oh Lord have mercy
- Words of Assurance
- Passing the Peace

**Hearing God’s Word**

- Scripture Reading John 14:5-11; Matthew 7:1-5
- Sermon Heather
- Congregational Song HWB 163 Obey my voice

**Responding**

- Membership Transfer of Marvin
- Communion
- Congregational Sharing and Prayer
- Offering/Offertory Everett
- Announcements
- Congregational Song HWB 423 May the grace of God
- Benediction

Worship Leader: Jim  
Song Leader: Darlene  
Pianist: Marcia

**FOR YOUR CALENDAR:**

- **Aberdeen Food Bank** - meets next on Oct. 4 and Oct. 18
- **Monday, Oct. 13, 5:00 pm** – Aberdeen Thanksgiving Supper. Everyone is warmly invited.



**Birthdays This Week:** Paul Sept. 27

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

- The Food Pantry shelves are running low and could use canned goods, coffee/tea, and pasta/rice. We have lots of peanut butter. Thank you to our new volunteers Kate and Brad.

**PRAYER REQUESTS:**

- Pray for Pastor David and Kendra and family (Fort Garry EMC) as they mourn the passing of their infant son Elijah. The funeral is today at 2:00 pm at FGEMC.
- Pray for our refugee candidates Humam and Sabreen in Turkey. She is ill, they have limited food, and they feel very isolated.
- The staff of SBC has been remembering our Aberdeen congregation in prayer this past week.



Coffee for next week Sept. 28 Heather and Bev  
Upcoming Coffee for Oct. 5 Sunnie and Darcy

**Covenant & Commitment Worship Series**

Today - Claiming Christ, loving all: Christian commitment in a pluralistic world  
 Sept. 28 - Covenants that are broken: Broken commitment, vision renewed  
 Oct. 5 - The weight of discipleship: An Anabaptist-Mennonite view

**John 14:5-11**

Thomas said to him, “Lord, we do not know where you are going. How can we know the way?” Jesus said to him, “I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. If you know me, you will know my Father also. From now on you do know him and have seen him.”

Philip said to him, “Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied.” Jesus said to him, “Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, ‘Show us the Father’? Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves.

**Matthew 7:1-5**

“Do not judge, so that you may not be judged. For with the judgment you make you will be judged, and the measure you give will be the measure you get. Why do you see the speck in your neighbor’s eye, but do not notice the log in your own eye? Or how can you say to your neighbor, ‘Let me take the speck out of your eye,’ while the log is in your own eye? You hypocrite, first take the log out of your own eye, and then you will see clearly to take the speck out of your neighbor’s eye.